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PATENT

Application Number 09/454,334  
Filing Date 12/03/99  
First Name Inventor Keith Hruska  
Group Art Unit 1632  
Attorney Docket Number BJCH 10041

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION**

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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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SIR:

Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time up to and including April 22, 2002, to respond to the Notice of Appeal dated November 20, 2001, for the above-identified application.

This extension is being obtained to ensure co-pendency of the subject application and a continuation application being filed on April 22, 2002.

\* A check in the amount of \$460.00 is submitted herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any under-payment or credit any over-payment to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

Respectfully submitted

Debra D. Nye, Reg. No. 48,260

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Confirmation No. 3598  
Inventor Keith Hruska  
Group Art Unit 1632  
Examiner Name J. Kerr  
Attorney Docket Number BJCH 10041



**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

[ ] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the indicated fees to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

[ ] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

[X] Applicant claims small entity status.

2. [X] Check Enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any under payment or credit any over payment to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

**FEE CALCULATION**

1. [ ] BASIC FILING FEE Subtotal (1) \$ RECEIVED  
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2. [ ] EXTRA CLAIM FEES Subtotal (2) \$ TECH CENTER 1600/2900  
Total Claims \_\_\_\_\_  
Independent Claims \_\_\_\_\_  
Multiple Dependent Claims \_\_\_\_\_

3. [X] ADDITIONAL FEES Subtotal (3) \$ 460.00

[ ] Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  
[ ] Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet  
[X] Extension for reply within three months  
[ ] Notice of Appeal  
[ ] Filing a Brief in Support of an appeal  
[ ] Request for ex parte Reexamination  
[ ] Petitions to the Commissioner  
[ ] Submission of Information Disclosure Statement  
[ ] Recording each patent assignment per property  
[ ] Request for Continued Examination  
[ ] Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** \$ 460.00

Debra D. Nye April 22, 2002  
Debra D. Nye, Reg. No. 48,620 Date

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